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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated July 27, 2006 for a period of three (3) months.

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		claims small entity status.	See 37 C.F.R.	§1.27.
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: _____ January 25, 2007

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